

## YOUNGSTERS WIN OVER OLD-TIMERS

Defeat of New York's Political War Horses Headed by Plunkitt, Furnish Principal Surprises of Local Voting.

YEARS OF THE MAN WHO BEAT PLUNKITT ONLY 25.

Victor Over Prince in the Sixteenth, Is But Twenty-Three; Etzel, Who Defeated Ruff, Also Youthful.

### OLD-TIMERS TELL HOW IT HAPPENED

"Rooseveltism did it. I was sandbagged by it," says ex-Senator George Washington Plunkitt, who was defeated after twenty-one years of continuous office holding by Martin Saxe, twenty-five years old, who has been in politics only two years.

"The voters wanted the younger man," says Pat Keenan, whose candidate for the Assembly in the Sixteenth Assembly District, Samuel Prince, was defeated by Gustave Hartmann, twenty-three years old, a school teacher. Hartmann is the first Republican Assemblyman elected in the district in twenty-nine years.

John C. Ruff, the Tammany candidate for the Assembly in Julius Harburger's district, lays his defeat by Frederick J. Etzel, the young Republican candidate, to the influence of a woman, Mrs. Marcus Braun, wife of the assistant Republican leader of the district. Mrs. Braun worked night and day in the interest of Etzel.

It was a triumph for young blood, the recent election, and the old war-horses of politics who were retired by defeat are trying to account for their downfall in various ways.

The most surprising overthrow of the election contests in the city was that of Senator George Washington Plunkitt who, after twenty-one years of office holding, was defeated by Martin Saxe, twenty-five years old. Saxe has only been in politics about two years and he goes to the Assembly in a burst of glory after his overwhelming defeat of Plunkitt, who has held office so long that he has become known as "The Father of the West Side."

Plunkitt tells why. Plunkitt accounts for his defeat in many ways. In his plainest he asks, "Who is this fellow, Saxe?" Will he be able to make as good laws as I can? He is only twenty-five, and look at my years and experience.

"Once during the campaign I met him and put my hand on his shoulder. 'So you are the youngster that is running against me, eh?' I said. 'All right my boy, have all the fun you want but don't spend your money foolishly.' 'Three things accounted for my defeat. The row between McMahon and Curry in the Seventeenth, the negro repeaters who were run into the district,

## THREE YOUNG CANDIDATES WHO DOWNED OLD-TIMERS IN THE RECENT ELECTION.



and the scurrilous circulars sent through the district at the last moment. The Republicans wanted 600 negroes in the Assembly district. In one election district they had five in one room. I knew it but the time it would take to get the evidence against them was worth more than getting rid of them, I thought.

"Scurrilous" Circular. "Then there was the row between McMahon and Curry in the Seventeenth. I never mixed in that, and I don't believe in mixing in such fights. Curry tried to beat McMahon for the leadership and was beaten himself. I got the blame and was caught between the upper and under millstones. Then there was the landslide of Rooseveltism. I was sandbagged by it.

"All these things, however, were as nothing compared to the scandalous circular that was sent through the district at the last moment. The district was flooded with them and too late for me to counteract them. One of these circulars purported to be sent out by a Free-mason and asked that all Masons in the district vote for me.

"Now, I ain't a Mason and never was a Mason. I'm a Catholic and don't belong to any secret society. When my friends who are Masons saw that circular they thought I was trying to con the voters, knowing that I was not of the order. The Catholics thought I had joined the Masons and they thought I was going to the devil. I got it bad both ways.

"The circular was signed 'Adlai Democrat,' and there isn't any such person in the district. I have my suspicions as to who put the circular out, though, and if I can get the proper evidence I'll do the best I know how to send him to State prison. You can gamble on that." Plunkitt has served longer in the State Legislature than any other man who ever sat there. He was a member of the Assembly in 1879 and 1881. In 1871 he held three other offices also, Alderman, Supervisor and Police Magistrate, drawing the salaries that went with each

office. Between 1871 and 1884 he held various city offices, and in 1883 was elected to the Senate. He served two terms as re-elected in 1892 and in 1895. One great surprise of the election was the success of Gustave Hartmann, the first Republican Assemblyman elected in the Sixteenth District in twenty-nine years. He defeated Samuel Prince, who was elected by a majority of almost 3,000 votes a year ago, by a majority of 227.

Hartmann is only twenty-three years old and is a school teacher. Prince was the candidate of Pat Keenan, City Chamberlain and Tammany leader in the district. Keenan took the defeat

of Prince hardly, but said he guessed the voters wanted the younger man. Another surprise was the victory of Patrick J. Etzel, Republican, over John C. Ruff, Tammany, for the Assembly in Julius Harburger's district. Etzel's election was due to the work done for him by Mr. Braun, wife of Marcus Braun, the assistant Republican leader in the district. Up to date both Henry M. Goldfogel and Joseph Levenson claim the election to Congress. Goldfogel says he has a majority of 221. Levenson claims to have defeated Goldfogel by 23 votes. It looks bright for the younger man, anyway, as should Goldfogel get a certificate of election he will face a contest and will probably be unseated by the Republican Congress.

"Mr. Dooley discusses 'The Intellectual Life' in Sunday's World. A refresher after all the politics.

## Vogel Brothers

42nd Str. Cor. 8th Ave

### Stirring Sale of Winter Jackets.

In presenting this sale it does not necessarily mean that a choice is confined to the few styles pictured above or the prices printed below. Our showing involves all the new models from hip length to extra long coats. Its scope and variety is not surpassed by any other in New York. And perhaps what is of more interest to the women folk is that any particular style they see elsewhere, the same will be found here at a third to a half lower in price.

**Special at \$7.50**—WINTER JACKETS—like cut-of black and castor kersey, 30 inches long, in double-breasted collarless models, new leg-o'-mutton sleeves, with cuffs, belt back, satin lined. The regular price of these jackets is \$12.50. Our price, \$7.50.

**Special at \$9.98**—WINTER JACKETS—like cut-of rich, soft-feeling black montagnac cloth, 27 inches long, with velvet notch collar, fly front, corset fitting, also the double-breasted collarless models with semi-fitted back, new leg-o'-mutton sleeves. Satin lined throughout. Very special values at \$9.98.

**Special at \$12.50**—WINTER JACKETS like cut, of kersey and montagnac, 45 inches long, in double-breasted collarless models; double box-plaited front and back, semi-fitted, finished with belt; new full sleeves with turnover cuffs; actual value of these jackets, \$18.50. Our special price, \$12.50.

**Special at \$14.50 to \$30**—The new long, tight-fitting Paddock Coats, 36 to 52 inches long; style shown in cut above; they are smart model coats for women who want the ultra fashionable styles, made of kersey, broadcloths, montagnacs and chevrons, lined throughout with taffeta silk or satin. Prices range from \$14.50 to \$30.

Open Saturday night till 10.30.

Vogel Brothers  
42nd Str. Cor. 8th Ave.

## H.O'Neill & Co

Read Every Line of This List FOR FRIDAY'S SELLING.

No Mail Orders Filled—None Sent C. O. D.

### Women's Sable Fox Fur Scarfs

Finished with two large brush tails and four fur claws, fur both sides, thirty-six inches long—regular price \$8.00; Friday.. **\$5.75**

### Untrimmed Millinery

**CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HATS**—Value \$1.00; at..... **48c**  
**WOMEN'S SCRATCH FELT HATS**, assorted colors—value \$1.00 and \$1.25; special at **48c**

### Women's Waists

Made of all-wool satin striped chailies, entire front, back and sleeves plaited, all the new color-black—regular price \$3.75; Friday.. **\$2.50**

### Women's Kimonos

Women's Long Kimonos, made of close fine outing flannel, blue and white, pink and white and gray and white stripes, trimmed with borders of solid colors—warm and pretty—regular price \$1.65; Friday..... **\$1.00**

### Silks

Two very special items for Friday—one lot Fancy Silks and one lot reliable Black Taffeta—regular prices 50c. to 85c. per yard; at..... **35c**

### Women's Shoes

Button and Lace, patent leather, glazed Dongola kid and box call, medium and broad toes, low and high heels—regular price \$2.50; special at..... **\$1.90**

### Women's Hosiery and Underwear

Women's Black Cotton Hose—made to sell at 19c. to 25c. per pair; special at **15c**  
Women's Ribbed Vests and Pants, made of fine cotton yarn—value 25c. to 35c. each; special at..... **19c**

### Women's Golf Vests and Blouse Sweaters

Women's Knit GOLF VESTS, brown, Oxford and Cardinal—made to sell at 98c. to \$1.25; special at..... **75c**  
Women's Knit Blouse SWEATERS, excellent quality, brown, Oxford and Cardinal—value \$1.75 to \$1.98; special at..... **\$1.38**

### Art Embroideries

Pillow Tops of silk damask, red, green and blue, several designs; regular price, 69c; Friday..... **39c**  
Pillow Tops, silk, Oriental designs, variety of colors—regular price, 50c.; special 25c

### Jevelry Department

**MANICURE SETS**—Sterling Silver four and five piece sets—regular price, \$1.98; Special..... **\$1.49**  
Separate Sterling Silver Manicure Articles—regular price, 49c each; Special, **25c**  
**FANS**—Flower Fans in all colors—regular price, 75c.; Special for Friday..... **59c**

### Rogers Silverware

**TABLE SETS**—Rogers A1 Silver Plate, 24 pieces, consisting of  
Six Dinner Knives,  
Six Dinner Forks,  
Six Table Spoons,  
Six Tea Spoons.  
Choice of two beautiful designs, complete in white satin lined case—regular price \$5.98; Special for Friday..... **\$4.49**

### Groceries

**SOAP**—Babbitt's best and Colgate's Octagon Soap (limit 3 cakes to a customer); special per cake..... **3c**  
**SARDINES**—Imported in oil (Castro de Paris); case of 100 tins \$9.00, per can... **10c**  
**LIMA BEANS**—Extra small green Lima Beans (Garland brand), 2-lb. can... **10c**  
**TEA**—Yonkers Oolong, Ceylon, Young Hyson, English Breakfast or Mixed Tea—3 pounds for \$1.00, per pound..... **35c**  
**COFFEE**—Jamoka Coffee, fresh roasted, granulated or pulverized—5 pounds for 90c., per pound..... **20c**

### Black Dress Goods

8,000 yards (all pure wool fabrics), shrunk and sponged Cheviot Suitings, Panné Zibeline, imported French Voiles; special for Friday, per yard..... **69c**

### Clock Department

Handsomely decorated eight day Porcelain Clocks, warranted the best American movements—Regular price \$4.98; special at **\$3.98**

### Flannel Department

3,600 yards ENGLISH FLANNELS—Choice of 27-inch wide Crepe Lustre and 36-inch wide English Flannel; in new stylish patterns, value 15c per yard; special at..... **7 1/2c**

### Dress Suit Cases

Russet Leather Dress Suit Cases, heavy leather protected corners, large brass heels, 24 inches long, extra deep—regular \$4.00 value; special at..... **\$3.00**

### Huck or 1 amask Towel

(Limit 1 dozen to a customer.) 12 dozen Heavy Huck Towels, hemmed ready for use; 100 dozen knotted fringed Damask Towels, colored borders; value \$1.85 per dozen; special at..... **\$1.25**

### Real Lierre Laces

White and Cream very fine Real Lierre Lace edgings, insertings, handkerchiefs and all-overs in match sets and odd widths, made in Brussels, Belgium, widths from 8 to 15 inches—regular prices 85c. to \$2.50 per yard; special at..... **25c, 48c and 98c**  
45-inch wide Real Lierre LACE NETS—regular price \$3.75 per yard; special at..... **\$1.90**

### Women's Neckwear

Point de Venise and Real Remembrance Lace Stock Collars, with tabs, regular price 40c and 50c; special at..... **18c and 25c**

### \$1.50 Ribbons, 19c.

Imported Fancy Ribbons, originally \$1.00 to \$1.50 per yard; special for Friday..... **19c**

### Men's Furnishings

**NIGHT SHIRTS**—Men's Domet Night Shirts, fancy and neat patterns—regular price 50c. Friday..... **40c**  
**MEN'S HALF HOSE**—Men's extra fine Merino Half Hose, black and natural—regular price 19c. to 25c. per pair. Friday..... **15c**  
**SHIRTS AND DRAWERS**—Men's extra fine fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, natural shade—regular price 50c. each. Friday..... **34c**

### Tapestry Couch Covers

Bagdad Tapestry Couch Covers, with a good quality knotted fringe—just two hundred of them and they are worth \$2.00 each. Special for Friday..... **\$1.50**

### Mission Rocker

with Armchair to match, in fumed oak, Spanish leather upholstered seats—regular price \$6.75 each; special for Friday..... **\$3.95**

### China Plates

Bread, Butter and Fruit sizes, good assortment of shapes and decorations—regular prices \$4.98 to \$9.00 per dozen; special, each..... **25c**

### Boys' \$8.00 Suits or Overcoats, \$4.80.

We offer splendid Overcoats and Suits, in neat patterns, blue, black, brown, gray, etc.—the make is superb and the trimmings strong. The Suits are double-breasted, Norfolk and Russian styles. Overcoats are fly front—Friday..... **\$4.80**  
**Boys' Derby Hats**—regular \$1.50, at 75c.

Sixth Avenue, 20th to 21st Street.

## YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD AT SPEAR'S

6th AVE. AND 16th ST.

The Door is Open to You—You Are Invited to OPEN AN ACCOUNT—NUF CED.

**This Exquisite Parlor Suit \$35.00**  
One Dollar First Payment and \$1.00 a Week.  
Worth \$48. Consists of five pieces, all beautifully upholstered in the best quality of velour.

**This China Closet \$37.50**  
One Dollar First Payment and 50c a Week.  
Worth \$50. China Closets as low as \$16.

**This Combination Bookcase \$14**  
One Dollar First Payment and 50c a Week.  
Worth \$20. Other bookcases at higher prices.

**This Sideboard \$18.00**  
One Dollar First Payment and 50c a Week.  
Worth \$30. Handsomely carved and highly polished.

**95c. sale of house needs**  
AND hundreds of remarkable values at various prices all very much less than you're used to paying for the same high grades. Special tomorrow.

**95c**  
For complete gas reading lamp, including 1 portable, 1 burner, mantle chimney, 6 ft. tubing, oval shade and cup—value \$1.50  
For \$1.35 hair floor broom.  
For \$1.50 extra heavy 12-in. x 18-in. rug.  
For \$1.35 four-tube radiator, finished in aluminum and jeweled; very convenient heater.  
For \$1.50 improved mangle, large size; nickel plated ball handle; very handy at a wine cooler.  
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**For girls** Black kid kid, with patent leather tips and chrome box carcases, with tips of same—size 4 to 5, with spring heels—size 6 to 7, with first heel—all are lace shoes—carefully trimmed and finished—solid leather inner and outer soles—good fitting, good appearing shoes, suitable for dress or school wear—D and E widths—value up to \$1.75.  
**Little men's** vicid kid and box calf first heel shoes; sizes 10 to 12—sturdy and stylish—value up to \$1.75.  
**Young women's**, sizes 2 1/2 to 3 1/2, not calf, dongola top, lace shoes with first heel—good style—never sold less than \$1.50, at \$1.  
**69c for women's** wool jersey cloth leggings—3 to 7.

**200 pairs of women's** \$3.00 shoes in narrow widths—the sizes are broken but they are splendid shoes, and if your size is among them it's a phenomenal bargain at \$1.00 per pair—they are principally button shoes of patent kid, with anti-turn device soles—among them are about 50 pairs of spring heel shoes in young women's sizes \$1 that sold formerly for \$2, at..... **\$1**  
**39c for women's** 75c. house slippers on burlap table, main floor, English made, in red and black, with soft, noiseless soles, fleece lined, delightfully comfortable and snug.  
**39c for children's** wool jersey cloth leggings—3 to 10.  
**49c for misses'** wool jersey cloth leggings—11 to 12.

## Simpson Crawford Co.

SIXTH AVE. 19 TO 20th STREETS.

### Friday's greatest sale of women's tailored suits, \$10

WE do not want you to think for a single second that these are \$10 suits, because they are not—but, on the contrary, suits you'd have to pay \$15 to \$25 for elsewhere. We've only a hundred, though—bought them at a great price concession—but while they last they are a great bargain treat. They possess all the attractive and stylish features of the regular \$25 suit.

**Six styles to choose from—excellent workman-ship—fine materials—while they last, to-morrow.**

**\$25 for \$40 tailor-made suits**—a revelation in smart fashions—300 fine tailor-made suits—like cut—a copy of a smart imported model that cost \$65. Made up in fine herringbone chevrons, all colors, 40-inch coat, handsomely trimmed with velvet collar and vest lined throughout with heavy satin—**\$25** just for Friday.....

**English covert coats**—smartest model of the season just in for Friday's selling—only 100 in all—they are very handsomely trimmed with panne velvet, tucks and plaits—nothing like them at less than \$22.50 anywhere; at..... **\$16.50**

**Women's smart tailored coats**—200 fine kersey, zibeline and chevrot coats, beautifully tailored and trimmed; all lined—special..... **\$10**

### Great Friday clearing of men's \$15 to \$20 suits & overcoats, \$10

IT will be a clearing sale as brief as it is great, for though our splendid assembly of Winter suits and overcoats is large and complete as to sizes and patterns, the values to-morrow are so extra good that crowds will come, and time has told you what that means in our clothing section. It means that exacting men come determined to secure clothing at one-third the cost of equal styles, fit, workmanship and quality at the merchant tailor's. The result is, that however extensive, the stocks melt away with a rapidity that's astounding.

**Second Floor.**  
Odds and ends from that great and successful sale of Rochester clothing make to-morrow's selection at \$10 phenomenal. Every one of the following garments is hand made:  
180 Frieze winter overcoats.  
76 Tourist overcoats.  
47 Priestley cravenettes.  
44 black thibet suits.  
36 silk mixed worsted suits.  
71 Scotch tweeds.

**values \$15, \$18 & \$20 Friday \$10**

### Boys' suits & overcoats, \$4

Positively worth \$5 to \$8—this is a great clearing, too. You can save one-half what you'd expect to pay for the same qualities and styles if you will come early to-morrow—the best values we've offered this season:

**\$5 to \$8 Values at \$4**  
107 Oxford Winter coats; sizes 6 to 16 years.  
63 Tourist overcoats; sizes 7 to 16 years.  
119 Russian overcoats; sizes 3 to 8 years.  
350 suits for boys, Russian, Norfolk and double breasted; sizes 2 1/2 to 16 years.

### To-morrow, 500 golf vests, 95c

HERE'S a golf vest you couldn't buy for less than \$1.50 ordinarily, and you'll recognize the \$1.50 quality when you see them to-morrow. 500 in this great sale at 95c—a lot we bought at a great sacrifice on the part of the manufacturer. They're double-breasted, finished with ten pearl buttons, in black, white, red, green, all with black or white dots. They're essential in Winter time—take the place of heavy wraps and give the jaunty street costume full sway.

**Second Floor.**  
**Sample silk waists Friday, \$6.95**  
Positively worth up to \$15  
Took the entire stock of manufacturers' samples, comprising the smartest silk waists of the season. To-morrow, though many are \$15 values, the price is uniformly \$6.95—crepe de Chine, taffeta, peau de soie, allover lace and net, all fancy trimmed and silk lined—light blue, pink, white, brown, navy and black—also pretty silk plaid—allover lace in white, black, brown and navy—exceptional value at \$6.95.